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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CLEANING, NEUTRALIZING AND RECIRCULATING EXHAUST AIR IN
CONFINED ENVIRONMENT

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Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification, Claims and Abstract.
- ☒ 11 Sheets of Drawings.
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (copy of original and supplemental).
- ☒ Statement under 37 CFR 1.63 and 1.78.

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Statement under 37 CFR 1.63 and 1.78

The accompanying application identified above claims the benefit of prior U.S. application Serial No. 09/873,635, filed June 4, 2001. The accompanying application is filed as a result of a restriction requirement in Serial No. 09/873,635. The undersigned has a power of attorney for application Serial No. 09/873,635, and that power of attorney continues with respect to the accompanying application.

It is believed and intended that the accompanying divisional application contains the identical disclosure of Serial No. 09/873,635. Specific changes in the text are (a) the addition of the first paragraph to reference the parent application of which this application is a division and (b) revisions to the Abstract into a description consistent with the amendments to the Abstract in Serial No. 09/873,635.

Copies of the original and supplemental Combined Declaration and Power Attorney filed in application Serial No. 09/873,635 are attached.

It is respectfully requested that the prior art cited in Serial No. 09/873,635 be considered in this application.

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